



**In re Application of:**

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For: **Methods And Apparatus For  
Reducing Localized Circulatory  
System Pressure**

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## RESPONSE

Sir:

This is in response to the United States Patent and Trademark Office Action mailed December 16, 2008, which response is being made before March 16, 2009, and for which no extension of time fees are due.

Applicant submits this response for entry into the record, in which:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 8.

**Please amend the above-identified application as follows:**